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Dear Ms. Hedges:

COMPLETION OF HANFORD FEDERAL FACILITY AGREEMENT AND CONSENT ORDER (TRI-PARTY AGREEMENT) INTERIM MILESTONE M-083-32, COMPLETE CLOSURE OF THE PLUTONIUM FINISHING PLANT 241-Z TSD UNIT DUE SEPTEMBER 30, 2011

The purpose of this letter is to formally notify the State of Washington Department of Ecology (Ecology) that the U. S. Department of Energy, Richland Operations Office (RL) has completed Tri-Party Agreement Interim Milestone M-083-32 four years and seven months ahead of the September 30, 2011, due date. RL has completed the activities required by the 241-Z treatment and storage unit's Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) closure plan. During the March 15, 2007, Project Managers meeting with Ecology, it was agreed that the closed Part A, Form 3 for the 241-Z unit will be transmitted to Ecology with the next RCRA permit modification. The RCRA Part A, Form 3 was stamped closed with the date of February 22, 2007, the date of Ecology's letter accepting RCRA clean closure for the 241-Z TSD unit.

If you have any questions, please contact me, or you may contact Stacy Charboneau, of my staff, on (509) 373-3841.

Sincerely,

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for the Central Plateau

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